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### Response to Rule 312 Communication

- ☐ The petition filed on \_\_\_\_\_ under 37 CFR 1.312(b) is granted. The paper has been forwarded to the examiner for consideration on the merits.

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Director,  
Patent Examining Group \_\_\_\_\_

- ☒ The amendment filed on 28 Sept 2004 under 37 CFR 1.312 has been considered, and has been:
- ☐ entered.
  - ☐ entered as directed to matters of form not affecting the scope of the invention (Order 3311).
  - ☐ disapproved. See explanation below.
  - ☒ entered in part. See explanation below.

The proposed amendment to page 5, line 12 of the specification has been disapproved. The second reference to "FIGURE 3B" is improper. Moreover, in the amendment of 24 July 2002, page 5, line 12 of the specification was correctly amended.

The proposed amendment to page 10, line 18 through page 11, line 4 has been entered.

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